Pikes Peak Lavender Film Festival

"Bringing quality lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgendered films to Colorado Springs"

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Dear Kathryn,

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We are very excited about this event. We think it's a wonderful addition to the cultural events of the gay community. Most of films will be of interest to film lovers regardless of their sexuality. I hope you enjoy them.

Please feel free to call if you need further information. Hope to see you at the Pikes Peak Lavender Film Festival. Thanks again.

Warm regards,

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